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Agenda Item

Bill 59

Your position on

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hearing?

Raising the minimum thickness of any bag supplied at checkout to 4 mils (4/1000th of an inch) - as in Portland - makes it cost prohibitive for retailers to give out thicker single-use bags and call them reusable. This further limits retailers ability to get around the spirit of the bill, by not handing out so-called biodegradable bags, that

break down quickly into thousands of microplastics.

Written Testimony

Testimony Attachment

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